IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DR. MARK D. REID, :

Plaintiff, :

:

v. : CIVIL ACTION NO. 23-CV-4818

:

NIDIA LUNA, :

Defendant. :

ORDER

AND NOW, this 18th day of December, 2023, upon consideration of Plaintiff Dr. Mark D. Reid's Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 1), and *pro se* Complaint (ECF No. 2) it is **ORDERED** that:

- 1. The Complaint is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** for lack of subject matter jurisdiction for the reasons in the Court's Memorandum. Nothing in this order precludes Reid from filing his claims in state court.
 - 2. The Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* is **DENIED AS MOOT**.
 - 3. The Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** to **CLOSE** this case.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Michael M. Baylson

MICHAEL M. BAYLSON, J.